



Time: 9:00-11:00am

Federal Broadband Round 2 Application Informational Meeting

State of Missouri representatives will share information they have received thus far from NTIA (BTOP) and RUS (BIP), regarding Round 2 Federal Broadband NOFAs. Topics will include:

- *Review of information gathered at the Feb. 2 Eureka Federal workshop;
- *Profile highlights of Round 1 awardees, and outline of successful applications to date;
- *Gauge interest of potential partners;
- *Discuss what assistance companies may desire from the State; and *Outline:
 - ~the common elements in Round 1 recipients' applications,
 - ~the new requirements issued by NTIA and RUS for Round 2,
 - ~current information pertaining to Missouri's broadband map and the locations of underserved areas,
 - ~definition of a private/public partnership that achieves extra points for an applicant,
 - ~how anchor institutions can be incorporated into Round 2 applications, and
 - ~how the State can best facilitate Round 2.

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No reservations needed. If you have any questions regarding this event, please email <u>michelle.hallford@oa.mo.gov</u> or call 573.751.1504.

Round 2 BTOP and BIP applications are due by *March 15, 2010*.

Instructions to participate via Conference Call:

- ~Dial: **1-866-903-1314**
 - (dial in at least a few minutes before 9:00)
- ~Enter pass code when prompted: 51296124#

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